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# Drilling Underway East OK Central

Oklahoma based (ASX listed) oil and gas exploration and production company Red Fork Energy Limited ("Red Fork" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that drilling has commenced at the Company's East Oklahoma Central project ("East OK Central") with a drilling rig moving onto location in Mayes County, Oklahoma yesterday.

This next phase of drilling at East OK Central will include up to 14 new production wells.

The first three wells in this phase of development at East OK South (the *Stines #1-16, West #1-28* and the *Holland #1-17* wells) will be drilled to target depths ranging from 400 to 700 feet and completed for production.

All three wells are expected to be drilled and logged by the end of this week.

The Company is also currently settling right of ways and laying gas gathering and water disposal lines to tie these and the other wells already drilled at East OK Central into sales.

With this phase of development complete, Red Fork will have a total of 20 production wells drilled, completed and tied-in to sales at East OK Central.

Yours faithfully

David Prentice Managing Director

### About Red Fork Energy Limited

Red Fork Energy Limited is an Australian publicly listed company developing oil and gas assets in Oklahoma, United States. The Company currently owns and operates three projects, East Oklahoma (~110,000 acres in total made up of three projects: East Oklahoma Central; East Oklahoma South and East Oklahoma North), West Tulsa (~15,000 acres) and Osage (~5,000 acres). These assets provide proven producing oil and gas fields as well as highly prospective exploration acreage for future growth. Red Fork is well advanced in achieving its goal of becoming an independent exploration and production company through the commercialization of the coal bed methane, shale gas and conventional oil and gas resources located within its landholdings.

### Forward Looking Statements

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